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In response to a communication from the Patent Office (paper #16), Applicants herein further elect with traverse:

a) amino residue ix) of claim 5;

b) designations of claim 6 where:

V is V<sub>1</sub> which is a phenyl substituted with R<sub>1</sub>,

W is W<sub>1</sub> which is V<sub>1</sub> which is a phenyl substituted with R<sub>1</sub>,

X is a bond, R<sub>5</sub>O' or -CO-,

Y is Y<sub>2</sub> is a 6:6:6 fused tricyclic system which incorporates oxygen and independently incorporates a carbonyl (CO) group (9H-xanthene or xanthan-9-one),

Z is OH;

R<sub>1</sub> is independently OH, alkyl; halogen and

R<sub>3</sub> is OH; and

R<sub>5</sub> is alkoxy or alkyl;

c) compound viii) of claim 10; and

d) compound xxii of claim 15, for examination in the above application.

Respectfully Submitted,

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